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Hospital Board Hear Delegates Reports

Following the recent trip to Edmonton of E. N. Peterson and S. J. May of the Municipal Hospital Board, a meeting was held at the Town Hall Wednesday night with all members of the Board present, also the architect, V. W. Meech of Lethbridge and Sec. Dean Rolfson.

The delegates gave a detailed report on their interview with officials at Edmonton, and questions were asked and answered as the reports were made. The final sketch plans were discussed and with one or two minor alterations, they were accepted, and the architect was asked to draft the working drawings as soon as possible so they could be passed by the Provincial authorities at Edmonton and Dominion officials at Ottawa. The accepted plans, will, it is believed, serve the Town and district very well as far as hospitalization is concerned.

The debenture issue and sale was discussed at some length, with a motion passed that the entire issue of \$42,000.00 be sold locally and that the interest be at the rate of 5 per cent. The Secretary was instructed to draft the necessary by-law authorizing the issue of the debentures, and if unable to complete it without legal assistance, that this be obtained. When the by-law is ready another meeting will be held to give it the necessary readings so that it can be sent to the Board of Public Utilities, who give the permission for the debenture sale.

Annual Ratepayers Meeting

The Annual Ratepayers meeting of the Town of Raymond will be held in the Town Hall next Friday evening, Jan. 28th, 1944 at 8 p.m. The Financial statement of the Town and district will be presented and all interested ratepayers should be in attendance. See the ad. elsewhere for official notice.

New wheat quotas were announced this week, and Raymond's quota is now 11 bushels according to reports.

Merle Summers returned to Edmonton last Wednesday evening after a month's leave here.

S. J. de LOTHIERE



The British Broadcasting Corporation's representative in Canada, has returned to his office at CBC headquarters Toronto, following a tour of Western Canada during which he visited Winnipeg, Regina, Saskatoon, Calgary, Edmonton and Vancouver.

CALGARY SHORT COURSE

The Annual Short Course sponsored jointly by the Calgary Board of Trade and the Alberta Department of Agriculture, will be held on January 27 and 28th in the auditorium of the Hudson's Bay Company store in Calgary.

The course will commence at 10.00 a.m. on Thursday, January 27th, with a talk by Professor J. Macgregor Smith on "Farm Machinery Regulations," followed by a short demonstration and talk by A. Charnetski on "Labour Saving Devices." In the afternoon Use and Abuse of Alberta Soils will be discussed by H. J. Mather; A. M. Wilson will speak on "Whatsoever a Man Soweth," and Dr. C. Farstad will provide information on "Saw Fly Control." At 8:00 p.m. "Farm Electrification" will be the subject of an address by Professor A. Stewart, followed by a programme of moving pictures.

For the morning of Friday, January 28th, two subjects are listed: "Warble Fly Control" by S. H. Painter, and "Sanitation in the Control of Swine Diseases" by Dr. R. Walton. A Board of Trade luncheon has been arranged for noon, at which Dean Sinclair, as guest speaker, will discuss "Western Canada, and the United Nations Food Programme." In the afternoon, Professor J. W. G. MacEwan of the University of Saskatchewan will speak on "Old Principles and New Practices in Beef-Cattle Production," and this will be followed by a talk by Dr. Sinclair on "Swine Production Costs, Past and Present."

All the topics outlined are timely, and of particular importance in our war production programme. Everyone is invited to attend, and it is suggested that those who are driving to the short course pick up as many neighbours as possible and bring them along.

HE'S NOT ALONE

A shy girl sat next to a bishop at a formal dinner. Seeing some bananas passed, she seized on this as a topic of conversation.

"I beg your pardon, but are you fond of bananas?" she asked.

The bishop, who was slightly deaf, replied, "Pardon me, but what did you say?"

The girl blushed furiously. "I said, do you like bananas?"

The bishop pondered a moment then answered, "It is a curious question, but I have always preferred the old-fashioned rightside."

Hon. Solon Low Here Friday

Hon. Solon E. Low, Minister of Education and Provincial Treasurer will be in Raymond Friday night of next week, Jan. 28th, and will address a public meeting in the Stake House on the subject of "Education in Alberta."

The Department of Education has been introducing some changes in the school curriculum and also in the general program of Education, and the Minister will deal with some of these matters and will also be prepared to answer questions everyone is invited and the meeting will be held in the Social Hall of the Stake House.

J. H. Walker Named Independent Leader

Congratulations to James H. Walker, M.L.A., on his being chosen Provincial leader of the Independent group at the Convention held in Calgary on Monday.



J. H. WALKER

M.L.A. for Warner riding and newly elected leader of the Independent group in Alberta.

day of this week. Ex-Mayor D.

Elton of Lethbridge, the only other contestant in the leadership race, made it unanimous by a motion after the voting, amidst cheers from the delegates present.

The platform of the party, which has been under preparation for some time past was presented to the Convention and accepted by it, and during the afternoon, Mr. Walker and Mr. Elton both had a chance to address the group and promised their best to the cause if elected. In his speech the new leader stressed the mistakes of governments in the past, especially in respect to agriculture in which he is directly interested and said that these things should not be repeated, and it was the business of Government, both provincial and Dominion to see that they were not repeated.

The Convention was attended by delegates from every constituency, and was very enthusiastic. With his many friends in the south, we join in extending our heartiest congratulations to our member in his selection to such an important post at such a critical time.

NEWS NOTES

Geo. Loxton of Magrath was a Raymond visitor on Monday.

Ralph Byrne came back from a trip to B.C. Tuesday evening bringing with him a 1937 Ford Sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Bennett were week-end visitors in Great Falls, Montana, and called in Raymond on their way back home to Lethbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hancock were business visitors in Lethbridge and Macleod on Monday of this week.

Inspector Evanson of Cardston was at the Public School on Monday and was at Rotary luncheon here making up his attendance.

A. L. McMullin is improving slowly after a very severe attack of the flu which affected his heart. We certainly wish him a speedy and complete recovery.

The Book Lover's Club held their annual party in the 2nd Ward Church Wednesday evening this week when the ladies were hostesses to their husbands. A program and refreshments occupied the time of the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McMullin now living in Seattle are the proud parents of a baby girl born last month. Wayne has received his call for service and joined the navy going to Farragut, Idaho, for his elementary training.

Mesdames Gladys Gough and Hilda Wilde were hostesses to the Raymond 2nd Ward Music Club Monday evening. Mrs. Muriel Terry gave an interesting article on the life and singing career of Tito Schipa and she also conducted a musical quiz following this. Plans were made for a Valentine party honoring the husbands of members. After the serving of a dainty lunch the meeting adjourned.

Mr. and Mrs. Summers were Lethbridge visitors Wednesday this week.

J. E. Maudsley was a visitor at his sheep herd west of Coutts this week.

Mose Fromm was sick in bed over the week end when the flu finally caught up with him.

Bishop and Mrs. J. O. Hicken and Elder C. E. Allred were at the Magrath 1st Ward on a home missionary appointment last Sunday evening.

Home missionaries were at both Raymond wards Sunday night. Stake Pres. T. Geo. Wood and Elder W. C. Stone were in the 2nd Ward, and Stirling missionaries were at the 1st Ward.

Mrs. Martha Mitchell and baby daughter have returned to their home in Beautiful, Utah, after spending the year end holiday with Mrs. Mitchell's mother, Mrs. Sarah J. Holmes and other relatives.

LaMonte Palmer is home on a two weeks leave from Edmonton, arriving last Saturday evening. Mont is looking fine and says he is expecting to be posted to another school as soon as his leave is over.

Mrs. R. Defoor, Drumheller, Bruce Vermiere, Rossland B. C. Mrs. Rene Vermiere Taber and Edward Audenart, of Galt who is in the armed forces, all relatives of Mrs. Audenart, were here last week for the funeral services of her husband.

We never remember such January weather, this week particularly, night after night with out frost. Wind prevailed Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. Some think it means a dry summer or a cold summer. We don't know, we are surely enjoying the bright, balmy days that are being dished up.

Cheese Factory Board Discuss Management

W. I. METING

The Raymond Women's Institute meeting was held Jan. 13th at the home of Mrs. W. H. Zobel, and it was a very interesting meeting. The President, Mrs. W. W. McMullen was in charge, Mrs. Ira McBride led in the flag salute and Mrs. E. Fisher led in repeating the Creed. Roll call was answered with a "New Year's Resolution" by the eighteen members and two visitors present. Minutes of the December meeting were read by the Secretary, Mrs. I. Kitchen. Correspondence and routine business were taken care of.

It was decided to continue having light lunches at our meetings. Mrs. A. Winkler consented to take care of our quilts for the Red Cross again this year, and Mrs. Doris Hall will be in charge of the duty bags for our sailors.

After community singing Mrs. O. Turner reviewed "Mrs. England goes to Living" by Frances Black, and Mrs. Reithman sang a vocal solo, both numbers being very much appreciated.

The meeting concluded by singing our National Anthem, and the hostesses Mrs. Zobel and Mrs. Leo Woolley served a delicious lunch.

The February meeting will be held on the 10th at the home of Mrs. Thomas Allen.

JOIN THE AIR CADETS NOW

Operetta To Be Staged

The dates set for the 1st Ward M.I.A. Operetta "ERMINIE" a new sparkling version of this famous light opera are Tuesday and Wednesday February 1st and 2nd with a matinee on Tuesday at 4:30 p.m.

Many days and nights have been spent by the cast and associates, and is rounding out in fine shape.

New scenery is being prepared, and new costumes for the cast will lend color to this entertainment.

Remember the dates and plan to support this M. I. A. project.

Raymond Hi. Wins From Lethbridge

In a league game in the Opera House last Friday night, the local High School team, coached by Principal Jacobs, defeated the Lethbridge boys by a score of 28-23 after forty minutes of interesting and rapid play. It was in the third period of the game that Raymond came from behind to run up a score that put the game on ice despite frantic efforts of the Lethbridge team to at least tie it up. High scorer of the evening was Bill "Shorty" Zabriskie, about 6'3 of manhood who run up a score of ten points. Following is the lineup and score:

Lethbridge: Tuffland, 7; Frey, 5; Wood, 5; Gilchrist, 1; Worlock, 5. Total 23.

Raymond: Adams, 6; Allen, 5; Nalder; Zabriskie, 10; B. Nalder; Brewerton, 1; Rolfson, 2; Wood 1. Total 28.

Walker and Stoddard, referees.

Raymond "B" team won 35-12 over Cardston in the preliminary "B" league fixture.

LIONS MEETING

The Lions held their regular meeting in place of the Charter Night which will be held Monday next January 24 in the Opera House.

Pres. G. Snow was in the chair. "Oh Canada" was sung followed by prayer by Lion M. Holmes.

Community singing was enjoyed by the members under the baton of Lion T. Allan, in the absence of Lion tamer M. T. King.

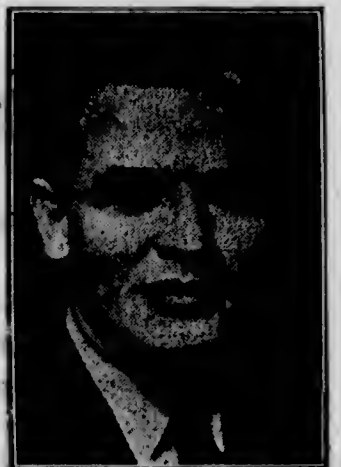
Lion Karl Wilde introduced Lyman Jacobs who gave a very interesting and educational talk on the War situation and current events. The club thanked Mr. Jacobs and answered a number of questions.

The Club decided to support the Lethbridge Club in planning for the rehabilitation of returned men from the present war.

Pres. Snow appointed Lions R. J. Fansett and M. Holmes to attend a meeting to be held in Lethbridge as delegates from the Raymond Club.

The meeting closed in the usual manner.

STORIES OF CANADA



Born in the Maritimes with a thirst for adventure and a taste for story telling, John Fisher is currently being heard over CBC networks in a series of "Canadian Yarns." His broadcasts are heard each Sunday at 11:15 a.m. They are rebroadcast for listeners in the Mountain and Pacific regions the same night at 12:15 a.m.

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S. I. MAY Editor

TEAMWORK WILL WIN

We are starting a new era of growth and development, individually and as a community. What are we going to do with the opportunities that are thrown in our path? To be happy and contented, we must serve his neighbor and his fellow man. Fundamentally, civilization rests on teamwork. The assisting of one another in the goals we desire to reach is humanity's greatest source of growth, development and happiness. When we dwarf this desire, we set up the seeds of shrinkage and decay in our hearts. The history of mankind from the beginning is proof of this statement. Ancient and modern nations and individuals have grown and developed as long as there were worlds to conquer and subdue. So soon as the need for effort was removed, decay set in and others with a pen for con-

quest took the leadership.

We have in our midst community enterprises that are in need of community support. Our cheese factory could function much more successfully if we would ALL support it in deed as well as in word. Our surplus milk, eggs and so on should go there instead of elsewhere. We should make it a headquarters for the purchase of food, clothing, etc. It would put the institution in a position to enlarge and increase its stock, all for the benefit and really fulfill its purpose as a cooperative enterprise.

Then too, we are getting our hospital scheme ready for actual activity in the near future. There is still opposition from within and without, but the Board is not slackening its efforts to complete the preliminary details and get work underway. Here is another matter where teamwork will win. When debentures are sold, every man and woman, looking for a safe and sound investment for their money should take a Hospital bond. The annual statements of the 30 operating hospitals in Alberta will show beyond any question that it is a gilt edge investment, which they will carry, they will return the bond, and they will interest the most investments do.

Then there is the question of support to the hospital and its services. Like other things the hospital can be no better than the support it receives. I will be your hospital to use and to support. As its use increases its services, and its equipment will be increased. Today many municipal hospitals are the equal of any city hospital in the equipment they possess and the price of any of them in the service they render, because they are still a community enterprise, maintained by the common people, whose cares are the cares of the staff, the Doctor and the neighbors and whose interest are everyone's interests.

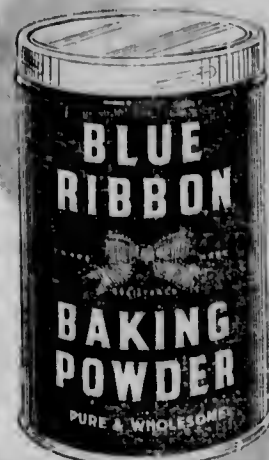
What will be your reaction to the Hospital? Are you going to "let George, or Tom or Harry do it?" or are you going to "let George, or Tom or Harry do it," or are you going to support it, financially and otherwise, to aid in putting over one of the projects that will do more for the advancement and growth of our community than any one thing that has been undertaken for many years. The answer lies with you.

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Tom Adams of the New Day-ton district was a visitor here this week with his brother Lem and family and on business.

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FARM FOR VICTORY KEEPING THE FLOCK HEALTHY

In crowded cities where people live in close quarters disease and parasites thrive, while people living in sparsely settled country are almost free from such. The same general principle holds with sheep. The range herd which wanders over new territory every few days does not encounter parasites and disease that the farm flock does when it's kept on the same ground day after day and year after year. However, one must keep in mind that sheep always live near to one another, and are therefore especially subject to both external and internal parasites.

The very nature of sheep and the methods of handling farm flocks brings about a parasite problem. As more and more sheep are kept in the country, and as they remain on the same pastures for years, internal parasites and worms will become more of a menace. Already the vigour and thriftiness of many farm flocks is being reduced by internal worms. Many farmers have noted that their flocks were most thrifty the first year, and that the thriftiness decreased, and the losses increased as years went by. Undoubtedly the increase in the parasites and disease is an important factor causing this change.

Losses due to parasites can be largely controlled by proper management, and by treatment. Proper management to control disease fits into good management from any other standpoint. Yards and sheds should be airy dry and light. Damp, dark areas where parasites and disease exist should not be tolerated. A system of pasture rotation will improve the grass cover as well as assure the sheep of coming on to clean ground where they will not become re-contaminated each spring. Some worms or worm eggs will winter over on pasture.

Treatment of sheep for internal parasites has become a simpler matter than it used to be. Drenching each sheep was a difficult thing, and many drew the drench into the lungs, resulting in losses. Although the copper sulphate nicotine sulfate drench is very effective, the newer method of using phenothiazine tablets is becoming much more popular.

Lambs showing paleness of the eye membrane, and moving sluggishly, are often affected with stomach worms. Diarrhoea and black scours in early aut-

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may indicate a wormy condition. Older sheep and lambs in early summer may be constipated due to worms.

Flocks suspected of having worms should be treated with a drench, or tablets, as well as being rotated on pasture where feasible. The following procedure may be followed:

1. Treat all animals in the Spring, either one month before lambing, or four days or more after, but always before turning the flock on the pasture. Do not treat pregnant ewes with phenothiazine nearer than one month before lambing.

2. If lambs show symptoms of worms in July, give them another treatment.

3. Lambs showing diarrhoea in Autumn should be treated before going into feed lot.

4. Give phenothiazine as follows:

(a) Up to 100 lbs. 3 compound tablets (12½ grains each)

(b) Over 100 lbs. 4 compound tablets

(c) Lambs, 2 compound tablets.

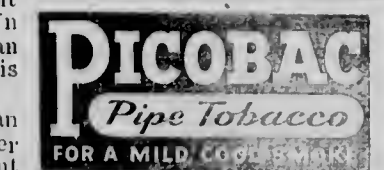
Phenothiazine tablets can be obtained from the Wool Growers Association, Southern Alberta, Co-op Building, Lethbridge.

A mouth spreader is used in administering the tablets. Pamphlets giving full particulars can be obtained from the Office of the District Agriculturist, or the Publicity and Extension Division, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. They are special pamphlets Nos. 51 and 67.

A REMINDER
Clean and treat your seed with mercury dust this winter while you have time. If you need new seed, arrange for it early.

W. R. HANSON
District Agriculturist

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D. M. HOLLADAY,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Honest Advertising Always Pays

The other day a brisk salesman walked into an Ottawa store and offered flags and bunting for sale to be used on "Armistice Day."

"You're early," said the storekeeper. Armistice Day isn't until November 11."

"Oh, I don't mean that armistice," said the salesman. I mean the armistice when this war ends."

DON'T LET IT WORRY YOU

If your efforts are criticised you must have done something worthwhile.

If someone calls you a fool, go into silence and meditation. He might be right.

If the world laughs at you, laugh right back. It's as funny as you are.

Patricia Berry



Roland Morrier, CBC Producer, hands over Patricia Berry to the care of the U. S. Army in the person of Colonel J. P. Fraim, Commanding Officer U. S. Army Forces, Central Canada. Patricia is just starting a tour from Winnipeg to northern base camps of the U.S. Army, to entertain the troops. "Take

good care of her, Colonel", says Roland. "I'll need her back for our Rhythm Fantasy show." Patricia has now returned to Winnipeg and next month returns to the air as vocalist on three regular CBC programs — Souvenirs of Song, Rhythm Fantasy and Red River Barn Dance.

NOTICE OF Annual Meeting

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the electors of the Town of Raymond and the Raymond School District No. 700, will be held in the Town Hall, Raymond, on

Friday, January 28th,

1944, at 8 o'clock p.m.

for the purpose of receiving the Auditor's report for the preceding year, and receiving the reports of the Chairmen of the various Committees.

Town of Raymond,

W. L. Jones, Sec.-Treas.

FARM FOR VICTORY PROBLEMS AT LAMBING TIME

W. R. Hanson, District Agriculturist

Most of the work attached to raising sheep occurs at lambing time. It is a critical time, as the size of the lamb crop largely determines the profit of the year. Then, too, the work may be greatly reduced by good management and the use of certain devices which have proven practical. A few practices which the writer has observed as being especially useful will be mentioned below.

When the time approaches for lambing to begin, the ewes should be watched carefully. If the bunch is small, and equipment suitable, ewes should be separated from the main flock before lambing. Enlargement of the udder and vulva can be noted a few days before lambing. When lambs are allowed to drop in the herd careful attention must be given to pick up the ewe and lamb as soon as the lamb is born. Where ewes are allowed out on pasture a stone-

boat or low wagon is handy for hauling the ewes and lambs to the shed. The night pen should never be crowded.

A pen of some sort is essential for handling ewes and lambs at time of birth. Hinged and movable panels can be placed in any good dry and draft-free building. A suitable sized pen for a ewe and her lamb is 1 ft. by 4 or 3' 6". An alley between each row of pens makes for convenience, and saving of time. The ewe and lamb or lambs should be placed in one of these small pens as soon as lambs are born. This way lambs do not get mixed and ewe and lambs can be cared for conveniently. The danger of the ewe refusing to claim one or both of her lambs is reduced to a minimum in this way.

When the ewe is checked to be sure that the lambs have sucked, loose the wool tags and dung locks should be clipped from hind quarters and udder. This will make it easier for the lamb to nurse as well as preventing wool balls in the stomach of young lambs.

As soon as it is certain that the ewe has claimed her lambs and they are vigorous enough to follow they may be placed in a lamb herd usually after about 3 days in the pens. Here ewes are fed to stimulate milk flow, and lambs are watched carefully. There is always danger of lambs getting lost from the mother, and ewes may disown one of a pair of lambs. Much difficulty can be avoided if lambs and ewes are marked at time of birth. A simple method is to number the ewes as they lamb, and put a number on the lamb to correspond with the ewe. This also facilitates record keeping. Another advantage is in case of selecting ewe lambs to keep. Lambs from ewes that yield a heavy clip are very apt to produce a heavy clip themselves.

The question of branding fluid arises. Men who have mixed their own from oil, kerosene or pigment and flour, for example, wonder why they had done so when they try using the prepared fluids. Prepared branding fluid makes a much better brand, is less messy, and not harmful to the wool. Almost any Wool Growers office, as well as outfits selling livestock supplies, have branding fluid for sale.

When a lamb dies and the ewe refuses to take care of it, she may be killed and the claim if the skin of the dead lamb is tied on the ewe's flank for a few days.

Every farm in Southern Alberta where farm flocking is done should have a sheep shed. A properly arranged and equipped shed and lambing pens will reduce labor to a minimum. A little care and forethought in location and arrangement will pay big dividends in convenience when the lambing starts. Some plans of good sheds are available and can be obtained thru the office of the District Agriculturist, Cardston.

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WINTER FEEDING OF DAIRY CATTLE

The balancing of rations for his stock is of interest to the farmer, and the scientific ratios and percentage of the various constituents are of value in pointing out the ideal. With this in mind, the farmer endeavours to approximate the ideal as closely as is consistent with every day usage.

Rule of thumb methods are useful and the following suggestions have been obtained by our office of information from D. H. McCallum and J. E. Bowstead.

In feeding dried roughage give all the good quality hay a cow will eat without waste. This is around 2 to 2½ lbs. daily for each 100 lbs. live weight of cow.

When silage is fed in the ration, three pounds of silage may be considered equal to one lb. of hay. By this rule 3 lbs. of

silage together with, from 1 to 1½ pounds of hay will be required daily for each 100 lbs. of live weight of cow.

In feeding grain to cows testing 4% butterfat or less, feed 1 lb. of grain mixture daily for each 2½ lbs. of milk in excess of 15 lbs. To cows testing 5% butterfat or over, feed 1 lb. of grain mixture for each 2 lbs. of milk in excess of 10 lbs. As a general rule it is not considered profitable to feed grain when the production of Holstein or Ayrshire cows is less than 15 lbs. daily or when the production of Jersey or Guernsey cows is less than 10 lbs. daily. More over, it seldom pays to feed a cow more than 16 to 18 lbs. of grain mixture daily. Excessive feeding of grain may seriously affect production by throwing the cow off feed.

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According to an announcement by H. H. Enman, general fuel agent for the C.P.R. in western Canada, the company acted to avert the coal shortage with permission of the government, importing the coal from

the United States on the assumption that coal fields in Alberta and British Columbia would not be able to supply the increased demands of transportation, industry and the general public. Of the total imported 1,050,000 tons were for the C.P.R.'s own use and 175,000 tons for other users.

Based on the number of pounds of coal required to haul 1,000 tons of freight one mile the C.P.R.'s share of the coal represented a total of 14,985,714,000 gross ton miles of passenger and freight movement, or about one-third of the gross ton miles operated on western lines for 1943.

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Production Objectives—Or Expectations?

For two years, Dominion and Provincial Government officials have announced definite production objectives in plenty of time for farmers to plan their own programmes. The 1944 objectives, made public over a month ago, have had time to 'soak in.' Will they be met?

In looking over the published figures, I, for one, find it difficult to distinguish between hopes and expectations. The Dominion-Provincial Conference favoured no increase in wheat acreage; but in view of the relation between the price of wheat and other farm produce, and the discontinuance of wheat acreage reduction payments, a considerable increase is probable.

The figures published for oil seed crops are puzzling when considered in the light of Mr. Gardiner's statement, as quoted in the "Farm News Press Clip Sheet, No. 424," which reads in part, "Of special products, such as oil producing plants (crops) . . . it is hoped that some improvement in quantity will be accomplished." But the 1944 "objective" for oil seed crops is given, on the same page, as 2,005,700 acres—only 66% of the 1943 acreage! For what it is worth, we offer the opinion that the objective will win and the Minister's hope will lose, unless the price for flaxseed is fixed at a very attractive level.

The farmer will be governed very largely by what will pay and by what the United Nations need. He has, to some extent, sacrificed the former for the latter; but can only go so far. We mustn't expect to get flax without paying what it costs.

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Ever remembered by his children
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And in the grassy headlands here and there
Are little rutted tracks that gophers make,
Running from knoll to knoll like tiny streets.
And far across the field a shallow lake
Mirrors the sunset like a cameo,
Where fleecy clouds are white as drifted snow.

A straw pile glistens yellow as the sun,
Old horses stand against the sunny side
Their backs humped up against a little wind,
Letting the warmth seep into bone and hide;
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